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STATE OF CALIFORNIA Fish and Game Commission

January 18, 2011

TO ALL AFFECTED AND INTERESTED PARTIES:

This is to provide you with a Notice of Receipt of Petition to list The Cedars wild buckwheat (*Eriogonum cedrorum*) as endangered under the California Endangered Species Act. This notice will appear in the California Regulatory Notice Register on January 21, 2011.

Sincerely,

Sheri Tiemann

Staff Services Analyst

Attachment

CALIFORNIA FISH AND GAME COMMISSION NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF PETITION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to the provisions of Section 2073.3 of the Fish and Game Code, the California Fish and Game Commission, on December 28, 2010 received a petition from the California Native Plant Society (Milo Baker Chapter) to list The Cedars wild buckwheat (*Eriogonum cedrorum*) as endangered under the California Endangered Species Act.

The Cedars wild buckwheat is found at The Cedars, in northwestern Sonoma County, but only in areas with serpentine talus slopes and rock crevices at 1000 – 1800 feet elevation. The Cedars wild buckwheat population is reported to be restricted to three areas that comprise less than 500 acres of The Cedars.

Pursuant to Section 2073 of the Fish and Game Code, on January 7, 2011 the Commission transmitted the petition to the Department of Fish and Game for review pursuant to Section 2073.5 of said code. It is anticipated that the Department's evaluation and recommendation regarding the petition will be received by the Commission at its May or June 2011 meeting. Interested parties may contact Terri Stewart, Habitat Conservation Planning Branch, Department of Fish and Game, 1416 Ninth Street, 12th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, or telephone (916) 653-9834 for information on the petition or to submit information to the Department relating to the petitioned species.

January 11, 2011

Fish and Game Commission

Jon K. Fischer Acting Executive Director

